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GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY, EARTH SYSTEMS, INC., AND THE HEALTH AND WELFARE PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES AND DEPENDENTS OF EARTH SYSTEMS, INC.,

Petitioners,

v.

JANETTE KNUDSON AND ERIC KNUDSON,

Respondents.

On Petition For Writ Of Certiorari To The United States Court Of Appeals For The Ninth Circuit

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SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF

Pursuant to Rule 15 of the Supreme Court Rules, Petitioners present this supplemental brief in support of their petition for a *writ of certiorari* to advise the Court that there are two other cases pending for decision on petitions for *writs of certiorari* that present the identical issue presented by this petition: *Cement Masons Health and Welfare Trust Fund for Northern California v. Stone*, No. 99-1403 and *Reynolds Metals Co. v. Ellis*, No. 99-1787. If the Court grants either of these petitions, Petitioners respectfully request that the Court either consider this case along with the case on which the court grants *certiorari* or hold this case pending resolution of that case.

Respectfully submitted,

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